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RE: Freedom of Information Act Request No. EPA-R4-2018-011143

Dear Mr. Elkan:

This letter is in response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request of August 31, 2018, regarding all records (paper, electronic, email or fax transmissions, voice recordings, photographs, logs, meeting notes, telephone conversations, and calendar entries, pertaining to one or both of the the following two documents: 1) the July 24, 2018 letter from Onis "Trey" Glenn, III, Regional Administrator, EPA Region IV to Ms. Linda Culpepper, Interim Director, Division of Water Resources, North Carolina Department of Environmental Quality or 2) the Decision Document of EPA's Determination Under Section 303(c) of the Clean Water Act Review of North Carolina's Reclassification for Lower Cape Fear River.

A portion of the records that you are seeking is publicly available on EPA's website at https://foiaonline.gov/foiaonline/action/public/home, FOIA# EPA-R4-2018-005397 (1st Production). Additional records are currently being processed and will be provided to you incrementally. When we complete our review of the remaining records, we will provide a final response to this request which will include a Bill for Collection, indices of both exempt and non-exempt records, and the applicable appeal procedures. You will be contacted regarding a records production schedule.

If you have any questions regarding this response, please contact Ms. Donna Robinson, Government Information Specialist, at (404) 562-9500 or robinson.donna@epa.gov.

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